Alexandria Gazetie.

FRIDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 2.

LOCAL NEWS

For this section threatening weather, followed by rain, light to fresh variable winds.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD .- At half past seven last evening Superintendent Carne administered the oath of office to Messrs, Townshend D. Fendall, of the 1st ward; Henry Strauss, of the 21, and Wm. F. Vincent, of the 4th, recently re-elected trustees of pub-Herbert Bryant, of the 3rd ward, elected to succeed Mr. Edger Snowden, and the Board was then called to order, all the members heing present except Mr. Aitcheson. After the reading of the minutes, the chairman announced the committees for the year as

Finance and Accounts-Messrs. Marbury, Strauss and Leadbeater, Studies and Discipline-Messrs. Smith,

Carne and the Superintendent. Schoolhouses and Furniture-Messrs. Fenda I. Vincent, and the Superintendent. Complaints and Grievances — Messrs. Sweeney, Bryant and Stuart.

Bloks and Printing-Messrs Mankin, Attcheson and the Superintendent. Mr. Leadbeater, from the Committee on Finance and Accounts, reported as correct the following bills which were ordered to be paid, viz: F. M Weadon, keys for Peabody building, \$1,75; John P. Clarke, shades for all the buildings but Washington, \$101.45. On motion of Supt. Carne, the Cerk. was a thorized to grant a second permit to Miss Mollie Watkins who had been drooped by mistake from the rol's of Lee School, and the teachers of Washington School No. 3, and Snowden School No. 2, were excased from penalty for tune lost, the former a day

dered imperative. The Superintendent asked leave to print his annual report to the Board to advance of its presentation, which was granted.

and the latter half a day for reasons con

Superintendent Carne said that the matter of paid substitute teachers was already before a committee of the Board and he would, therefore, made no proposition, but would state, as a suggestion from the principal of Washington School, one to employ substitutes at a very small fixed salary, say \$15 or \$20 a mouth, and place them in enarge of such children as were waiting for admission to the regular schools, while not employed as substitutes. He thought com-petent persons could be engaged at that price in the expectation of getting regular laces should they prove their competency

Col. Smith moved that Miss Mattie Brewer be elected a teacher at a salary of \$25 per

Supf. Carne objected that the teacher mentioned was, he thought, the very lowest in the examination, and that the custom of

The Supt. said certainly; he had only spoken of fitness and precedent.

Several trustees said they saw no occasion

for haste in the matter, and Mr. Vincent moved to lay over the resolution until the ext meeting, which was lost-ayes, Messrs. Vincent, Leadbeater, Carne and Fendall-4; Messrs. Stuart, Smith. Sweeney,

Scauss, Bryant, Marbury, and Mankin—7.
The chairman moved as a substitute for the resolution, one notifying Miss Florence I. Chapman that her services would not be required after Dec. 15th, and filling herplace by the appointment of Miss Brewer. Supt. Carne said she was one of the best colored female teachers and asked the reason for desiring her removal. The chairman reputed that the board had reserved the power of removing teachers without cause. Mr. W. F. Carne said that such action would injure the reputation of a teacher and be, therefore, unjust. The substitute was then withdrawn and Mr. W. F. Carne moved an amendment appointing Miss Lizzio Albrand a paid substitute for white schools. In an swer to an enquiry by Mr. Sweeney, Supt. Carne said that Miss A. was a graduate of Lee school, had passed higher for several years in succession than any other substi tute, and had exhibited marked capacity in as he had previously promised to vote for her as a candidate. As she had not been examined, the question arose as to her eligibility, when the Superintendent said he would examine her if the board wished, though it was not customary to examine after election. Col. Smith's motion, as amended, was then adopted without division. Mr. W. F. Carne moved to appropriate \$250, or as muca thereof as may be necessary, to fit up two rooms for the sinking ship the raft, and many others form a moving panorama, the like of which is rarely seen on any stage.

Sick and billions to a company of marked ability. The drama is of a highly sensational character in six acts and eight tableaux, which with seenas representing the harbor, the deck of an amount of the sinking ship, the raft, and many others form a moving panorama, the like of which is rarely seen on any stage.

Sick and billions teachers, which was carried. He then moved to appropriate two hundred dollars, or as much as may be necessary, to fit up new closets, as the special school must be of both sexes. An informal debate here arose as to whether they should be so mixed, and in reply to a question the Super-intendent said there was no law to prevent Mr. Carne's resolution was then rejected and the Chairman moved to reconsider the resolution to appropriate money for fitting up rooms.

Mr. Sweeney said if any child was out of school it was the duty of the Board to pro-

Supt. Carne explained why children were out of school and said that the same thing happened in every city; but that if the substitutes were not required to teach, they would be paid for doing almost nothing, as there were not more than two or three days a month lost by the whole corps of teachers Finally the motion to reconsider was lost and \$50 was appropriated for the closets.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the Board to dispense with the two newly elected teachers whenever it was found their

The Superintendent presented a petition from Charles Brown, junitor of the Seaton tuilding, for extra compensation for work incident upon the repairs in vacation, and said that Brown had probably done more work than any other janitor, yet was the only one who had not been paid for it.

Mr. Strauss moved to pay him \$10.

services were not needed.

Col. Smith said he was sorry he could not vote for it, but he was opposed to paying for

Mr. Leadbeater said he had always opposed it; the pay should be raised if insuf-

Mr Vincent said he had also, but as all the rest had been paid, it would be unfair to except Brown, who had done more than the

Supt. Carne said he had, also, always been opposed to paying anybody extra and that he would now move that hereafter no such pay be allowed, which motion being unanimously adopted, and Col. Smith having withdrawn his opposition, the extra pay was granted Brown and the Board ad-

The second of the complimentary rehear-

THE JUDGESHIP .- The legislature which meets next Wednesday will, before its ad journment, elect a Judge of the Corporation Court of this city, in place of Judge N. B. Meade, whose term expires on January 1, 1889 It is learned that a meeting of the bar of the city will be held in a few days to decide upon a suitable man whose name will be presented to the legislature for elec-tion. Judge Meade will not be a candidate. There are already several names mentioned in connection with the judgeship, among them being Messrs, L. Marbury, J. K. M. Norton, K. Kemper, S. G. Brent and W. E. Fendall. The salary of the Judge of this Court is now \$1,400, and under the law Judges receiving salaries of \$1,000 and over, are not allowed to practice in the State Courts. It is understood that the legislature will be petitioned either to reduce the salary to \$1,000, in order to allow the incumbent to practice, or else to increase the salary to \$1,800 or \$2,000, which sum it is claimed the office should pay. In case a change is made in the salary it is said that some of the older members of the bar would accept the position, and among those named in such a contingency are Meesrs. C. E. Stuart, G. A. Mushbach and J. M. Johnson.

A FASHIONABLE COLORED WEDDING.— The Baltimore Sun of this morning says: Mr. Charles Caldwell, the wealthy colored stevedore, was married last night to Miss Antonia Buster, of Alexandria. The ceremony took place in Centennial M. E. Church, Bank and Caroline streets, in the presence of a large crowd, among whom were many white persons. Rev. Geo. T. Pinkney, pastor of Centennial Church, officiated, assisted by Rev. James Thomas, of St. Paul's Chap-el. At 7 30 the party entered the church the bride leaning on the arm of Mr. Joseph Thomas, the retired stevedore, followed by the groom with Miss E Creditt, of Alexandria. During the ceremony the groom and groom-man, both of whom are over sixty years old, stood up with their hats on. The bride, who is fair and about forty, was dressed in a white satin robe and wore a

FIGHT WITH DREDGERS—A spirited encounter took place in Fishing Bay, near Cambridge, Md., on Saturday night between the police sloop Julia Hamilton, Deputy Commander Tyler, and three dredging vessels. The dredgers are said to have been supprised by the State sleep while weaking surprised by the State sloop while working above the prescribed line. They showed fight, however, and shots were exchanged with repeating rifles for a considerable time. Capt. Tyler then brought his cannon into requisition, with what effect is not known, but after four rounds were fired the dredg ers retreated. Capt. Tyler describes it as the liveliest skirmish he has ever had, but expresses a determination to protect the waters on his beat at the risk of his life.

FIRE.-When the workmen employed at the foundry of Messrs. W. H. May & Son, on Union street, near Duke, went to work this morning they discovered that the "tumbler" for polishing new castings and the Board had always been to vote on all the candidates.

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Col. Smith said the Board had power to elect any licensed person. not known but it was of course accidental. No one saw the light and, as before stated, nothing was known of the firetill this morn ing. The loss will not exceed \$30.

> EVANGELIST NEEDHAM .- Crowds con tique to attend Rev. Mr. Needham's expounding and preaching of the scriptures at the Second Presbyterian and Baptis churches, and the good work grows apace. The subject of the bible reading this after on was "Hints and Suggestions as to Bible To night, at the Baptist church, Needbam preaches his last sermon Sanday next he begins work in Bil All are made welcome at the-

PELSONAU,-Gen, and Mrs. W. H F. Lee have some to Washington, where they will remain during the session of Congress. They have rooms at the Ebbitt.

Mr. R. P. Barham, editor of the Petersburg In der Appeal, was in the city to day.

Mrs. M. M. Lewis has returned to the city, and is staying at Miss Mehaffey's, on Duke street.

POLICE REPORT .- Last night was cloudy ad cold with no prisoners and fourteen The only case before the Mayor for trial

governing schools. The chairman moved this morning was that of Jas. Brown, a colto subititute the name of Miss Ada Crump, ored boy, charged with an assault on a comored boy, charged with an assault on a com-

I have not used all of one bottle vet. I suffered from catarrh for twelve years, experiencing the nauscaling dropping in the throat peculiar to that disease, and nose bleed almost daily. I tried that disease, and nose ober atmost daily. I tried various remedies without benefit until last April, when I saw Ely's Cream Balm advertised in the Boston Budget, I procured a bottle, and since the first day's use have had no more bleeding—the soreness is entirely gone.—D. G. DAVIDSON, with the Boston Budget, formerly with Boston Journal.

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LECTURE.

There will be a grand lecture given by the Hon. FREDERICK DOUGLAS, of the District of Columbia, At ROBERTS CHAPEL, DECEMBER 16, 1887.

Subject—Self-made Man."
Proceeds for the purchase of aged home.
Roberts Chapel Choir will render some choice

Roberts Chapet Choir with the sum of the occasion.

Admission 25c. Tickets can be obtained of the committee—Robert Darnell, chairman, Henry Sumby, Parris Simms, Richard T. Thompson and deci to

TINE PRESERVES—Cross & Blackwell's Presals of the Alexandria Musical Association II served Damsons, Plums. Currants, Strawberwill be given to-night at their hall on King rics, Peaches, Apricots and Cherries just received by [sep1] J. C. MILBURN.

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Takes pleasure in informing his friends that he now occupies the large and elegant store room lately vacated by D. Bendheim & Co. With plenty of room, he will now devote more attention to

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A full stock of SCARLET FLANNEL, WHITE FLANNEL, CANTON FLANNEL, ELEACHED and UNBLEACHED COTTONS, DEESS GOODS, GINGHAMS, &c. EXTRA HEAVY KEESEYS, BLANKETS, BED SPREADS, &c.

We will continue to maintain our reputation for selling good goods at low down prices. To all we

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Watches, Jewelry, Solid Silverware, Silver-plated Ware, Clocks, EYE GLASSES. SPECTACLES, &c.

And you will be sure to find something that will suit you.

The Washington steamers did not !eave Norfolk last night, on account of a heavy storm prevailing in the bay.

Mrs. Irene Mary McCarty, daughter of Dr. L. Lloyd, died in Falis Church last week, in the 31st year of her age.

Some one broke into the photograph gal-

lery on King street, near Royal, last night but nothing, it is said, was stolen. The Legislature meets next Wednesday and not Monday, as erroneously stated yes-terday—Congress meets on Monday next.

It is reported that about a week sgo Mr. Stretchley Chinn, of Middleburg, was fleeced by a sharper to the extent of \$2,250.

There were several spits of snow this morning, but later the sun came out and shone brightly and the weather moderated. The eports in circulation on the streets his morning that attachments had been is

sued against the Braddock House and that

the house would close after to day are de The called meeting of the stockholders of the Old Dominion Building Association to have been held last night was postponed till Wednesday night next on account of the

absence of a quorum. The football team of the Epi-copal High School and the team of the Washington High School will play a game on the grounds of the former, near this city, to morrow af ternoon at half-past three o'clock.

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SPECTACLES to suit you, go to HENRY WILDT'S and have your eyes tested, and you will have no more trouble. FIRST-RATE STOCKING FOR CHILDREN

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BEAUTIFULLY EMBROIDERED FIVE-BUT-TON KID GLOVES, every pair warranted, at one dollar.

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER. WE HAVE just received over 100 dozen FINE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS for the Christmas trade at

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. nov25 POTTED MEATS—Ham, Beef, Tongue, Turkey Chicken, Duck and Game. aug10 GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

TEAS-Having bought largely of Teas, carefully selected, I am selling the same very low. sep23 J. C. MILEURN.

RHEUMATISM CURED BY DR. MITCHELL'S Celebrated Rheumatism Piaster, for sale by 11 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. FRESH CRACKED WHEAT and GRAHAM

FLOUR for sale by J. C. MILBURN. oct13 100 CASES ABSCO TOMATOES, fine quality, just received by

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ELIXIR BABEK, A vegetable compound, contains no Quinine. A

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safe and positive cure for MALARIA, FEVER and AGUE; also as a tonic for strengthening and invigorating the system.

For sale by all dauggists. Fifty cents a bettle

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In six acts and eight tableau. \$10,000 for scene-ry and effects alone.

The scenes are all entirely new and exquisit-ly beautiful in effect.

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Seats on sile at Summers & Allen's without extended the seat of the seat o

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS. THE VIRGINIA MIDLAND RAILWAY CO.

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER
December 1st, 1887.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the
VIRGINIA MIDLAND BAILWAY CO, will be Virginia Midland Rall-Way Co, will be held at the office of the cempany, in Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, the twenty first (21st) day of December A.D., 1887, at 12 o'cleck noon, for the transaction of all business of a general or special nature that may be submitted to the meeting. The transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock of the sixth (6th) inst, and respend on the morning of the twenty-second (22nd) of December next, dec1 td W. H. MARBURY, Secretary.

SOMETH NG NEW FOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT Besse Jais and Porpourri, Japanese goods of all kinds. Scrolls, Screens, Mats, Bowls, Teapots &c. &c., at E. J. MILLER SON & CO'S.

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GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON. DAINT YOUR OWN BUGGY-Just received the I following new line of Colors: Clive Fonce, Poncean Ecarlate, and Jet Cosch Black. Call for For sale by W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

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AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. nov25 PINEAPPLE, EDAM and SAPSAGO CHEESE just arrived, GEO. McBURNEY & SON.

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Our racks are heavy with the most choice styles of

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ELEGANT HOLIDAY ATTRACTIONS. Preliminary Announcement.

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the next ten days to receive, the latest novelties for the coming helidays, special arrangements having been made to this end.

Our assortment will be the most varied, best selected and cheapest in the State, and we guarantee prices as low as the lowest in any other city.

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